



the Greens

Green Party USA

Ecological Wisdom
Social Justice
Grassroots Democracy
Nonviolence

Decentralization
Community-based Economics
Feminism
Respect for Diversity
Personal and Global Responsibility
Future Focus

September 10, 1996,

Supplement
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Dear Mr. Marinelli,

You requested copies of the letters from the Secretaries of State to the Green candidates for federal office. Last week I faxed copies of the letters to Jed Whitaker (Senate, AK), Abraham Gutmann (Senate, NM), James Grames (US House, AK); Walt Sheasby (US House, CA), John Uhrich (US House, NM); Charles Laws (US House, MA). The letter for Tom Leighton (US House, NY) follows this letter. I still haven't received the letters for Will Yeager (US House, CA) or Graham Schwass (US House, RI) but I expect to receive them this week.

Others on the list did not qualify to get on the ballot (Bob Rudner, Richard Grossman, Bill Martin, Mike Chamness, Howie Hawkins, Rob McRoberts) or are not running on the Green Party line (John Rehnsenbrink).

If there is anything you need, please let me know.

sincerely,

Betty Wood
Clearinghouse Coordinator

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8/20, 1996

Thomas K. Leighton
321 E. 43rd St.
NY NY 10017

Dear Candidate:

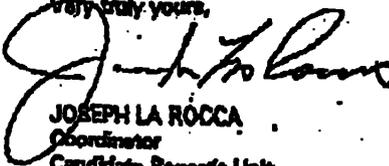
You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed with this agency nominating you as a candidate by the Green Party for the Office of CONGRESS County of NY, City of New York to be voted for at the General Election, November 5th 1996.

Subdivision 1 of Section 6-146 of the Election Law reads as follows:

"Acceptance or declination of designation of nomination. A person designated as a candidate for nomination or for party position, or nominated for an office otherwise than at a primary election, may, in a certificate signed and acknowledged by him, and filed as provided in this article, decline the designation or nomination; provided, however, that, if designated or nominated for public office other than a judicial office by a party of which he is not a duly enrolled member, or if designated or nominated for a public office other than a judicial office by more than one party or independent body or by an independent body alone, such person shall, in a certificate signed and acknowledged by him, and filed as provided in this article accept the designation or nomination as a candidate of each such party or independent body other than that of the party in which he is an enrolled member, otherwise, such designation or nomination shall be null and void."

The last day to file such acceptance or declination, as per section 6-158.11 of the Election Law, is Friday, August 23rd 1996.

Very truly yours,


JOSEPH LA ROCCA
Coordinator
Candidate Records Unit

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